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Disorders at Mines.

Tuesday night was one of disorder and terror at Edna Mine No. 2, of the Penn Gas Coal Company, at Irwin, Pa., where several hundred men are on a strike for recognition of the union. The strikers all seem to be armed, and from dark until daylight a continuous fusilade of firing was kept up. Fortunately no one was injured. There was another clash last night between the guards of the Penn Gas Coal Company and a crowd of 150, and as a result Lieutenant Rhoades, of the guards, was injured. He was struck on the head with a stone. The coal company immediately had more guards sworn in. The guards have been patrolling the railroad to keep the strikers from molesting the men at work. Last night three men alleged to represent the railroad company ordered the guards off the railroad property. They were backed up by the crowd, and when the guards refused to move stones were thrown. The crowd was finally dispersed. Today an injunction restraining the strikers from interfering with men at work or destroying property will be applied for by the coal company.

The Philadelphia and Reading Coal and Iron Company yesterday received at its office in Philadelphia the first reports dealing with disturbances in the Schuylkill region where the company's collieries are located. These reports contained information that a miners' train at Minersville had been partly destroyed by fire during the night, that the Burnside breaker at Shamokin had been stoned by breaker boys, and that a stick of dynamite was found beneath the wheel of a cabin car which stood on a siding at an ash pit.

There was considerable disorder at the Fernwood mine of the Erie Canal Company at Yatesville, Pa., yesterday. A number of Italian miners tried to prevent the pumpmen from going to work, but a detail of the state constabulary was sent to the scene and soon dispersed the crowd. Unemployed workmen prevented the operation of the washery of the West End Coal Company at Mocanaqua. Pickets held up the employes and told them it would be better if they did not go work, and the men returned to their homes.

A dispatch from South McAlister, Indian Territory, says that trouble has already broken out in the coal strike and a posse of United States marshals' deputies were sent yesterday to quell it. The disturbance was at Gowen, where a teamster hauling coal for the pumping machinery was waylaid and instructed to cease work. Two shots were fired by the teamster, who made his way to the mine office and telephoned for help. Marshal Pritchard sent four deputies to reinforce the officers regularly stationed at Gowen.

Another Fort.

The creation of an artificial island in the middle of the entrance to Chesapeake Bay is proposed by the joint board on coast defense as an absolute essential to the defense of the national capital and the cities of Baltimore, Norfolk, Newport News and even Richmond. The daring exploits of the Japanese naval captains during the recent war has convinced the army engineers that it is no longer safe to rely upon the defenses of Fort Monroe to control the entrance to the Chesapeake. It was held by the old school of engineers that any warships approaching the bay with hostile intent would be obliged to enter through the main ship channel, which would bring them within range of the guns of Fort Monroe and the Ripraps. But that channel is five miles wide, and naval officers on the board have also declared that a venturesome commander in time of war would not hesitate to run a vessel of medium draft through the north channel, beyond the sweep of the existing forts on the south shore of the bay. So the board has concluded that a fortress should be erected to command the north side of the present main channel as well as the north channel, and the only proper site for this fortress would be on what is known as the Middle Grounds. The water is shoal, but there is no land above tide, and, therefore, the government must dump stone into the bottom of the bay, as it did when it built the Ripraps fort, at the entrance of Hampton Roads, until a foundation is secured for the defenses. The cost of the work will be heavy, but its advocates contend that it is, after all, only a bagatelle as compared with the insurance afforded to untold millions of dollars' worth of national and private property on the shores of the bay or its tributaries.

Congress has already officially been made aware of the want, but so far no provision has been made in any of the pending appropriation bills for the work, and the members of the board fear that they will not be authorized to enter upon it during the present year.

Danger From The Plague.

There's grave danger from the plague of Coughs and Colds that are so prevalent, unless you take Dr. King's New Discovery for Consumption, Coughs and Colds. Mrs. Geo. Walls, of Forest City, Me., writes: "It's a Godsend to people living in climates where coughs and colds prevail. I find it quickly ends them. It prevents Pneumonia, cures LaGrippe, gives wonderful relief in Asthma and Hay Fever, and makes weak lungs strong enough to ward off Consumption, Coughs and Colds 50c and $1.00. Guaranteed at E. S. Leadbeater & Sons' drug store. Trial bottle free.

Train Wrecked.

As was stated in the Gazette, the fast Norfolk and Western "Cannon Ball" express, from Richmond to Norfolk, struck an open switch at Juniper siding, in the Dismal Swamps seven, miles east of Suffolk, at 11 o'clock yesterday morning and was derailed, injuring twelve people, two perhaps fatally. The cab of the engine was thrown more than twenty feet from its boiler, and the engineer was hurled twenty-five feet from his locomotive. There were about seventy-five persons on the train.

Many lives were saved through the heroism of Engineer Noble, who stood to his post in the face of almost certain death. He saw the open switch which caused the disaster in time to reverse his lever, but he remained at the throttle while the engine jumped the ditch, plowed into a thick forest of pine trees, becoming dismantled. The shock of the impact with the ties hurled him through the air twenty-five feet away, where he was found half buried in mud. The fireman jumped and fell through the top of a torn up tree, which broke his fall.

The combination baggage and passenger coaches followed to the edge of the canal, where they stopped, careened nearly over. A fire broke out in the mail car, but was extinguished after a few pouches had been burned. The speed of the train through the swamp was fully sixty miles an hour.

Engineer Noble had orders giving him a free road from Suffolk to Norfolk. No one seems to know why the switch had been left open. It is said that it had been left open after a freight, which passed early in the morning.

Pipe Line to Norfolk.

An oil pipe line from Kansas to Norfolk is the latest project rumored in connection with the Tidewater Railroad's entry into that city and the building of terminals at Sewells Point, Norfolk. Out-of-town parties who have been in for several days on business are authority for the statement that the Standard Oil Company will build an oil pipe line along the entire right of way of the Tidewater Railroad. The desired connections from Kansas to the Tidewater's western terminus have been provided for, it is said, and within the next two years oil will be flowing from the fields of Kansas and from other oil connections of the Standard Company directly to Norfolk for eastern distribution and for export.

Burned to Death by Husband.

Mrs. Martin Van't Hof, of Grand Rapids, Mich., was burned to death early yesterday. Her husband is held at the county jail pending the order of Coroner Leavy. The 12 year-old son of the couple was aroused by his mother's cry, and rushed downstairs to find her body on the floor surrounded by flames and his father running around the room apparently demented. He says that his father held him and would not let him go to his mother's assistance. Van't Hof has spent sometime in an insane asylum, and is said to have shown signs of mental difficulty of late. When the neighbors reached the house, attracted by the boy's screams and the fire, Van't Hof was running up and down in front of the house half-clad, shouting: I told you I'd burn her up. Hurrah for the Stars and Stripes!"

Clean up and get ready for spring. Take a few Early Risers. These famous little pills cleanse the liver, stomach and bowels and give the blood a chance to purify itself. They relieve headache, sallow complexion, etc. Sold by W. F. Creighton & Co., 401 King street.

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When two of them, taste and smell, having been impaired if not utterly destroyed, by Nasal Catarrh, are fully restored by Ely's Cream Balm, can you doubt that this remedy deserves all that has been said of it by the thousands whom it has cured? It is applied directly to the affected air-passages and begins its healing work at once. Why not get it today? All druggists, 50c, or mailed by Ely Bros., 56 Warren street, New York, on receipt of 50 cents.

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Solid Silver Hunting, engraved case, fitted with 7 jewel Elgin movement, at $8.00, regular price, $12.00.

Solid Silver Hunting, engine turned case, fitted with 7 jewel Elgin movement, at $8.00, regular price, $12.00.

Solid Silver Hunting, engraved case, heavy, fitted with 11 jewel, patent regulator, Illinois Watch Co. movement, at $10.00, regular price, $14.00.

Solid Silver Hunting Case, engine turned, heavy, fitted with 17 jewel, patent regulator, Illinois Watch Co. movement, at $12.00, regular price, $16.00.

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MEETINGS.

Office of the Lanston Monotype Machine Co.
1231 Callowhill Street,
Philadelphia, Pa., April 2, 1906.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the LANSTON MONOTYPE MACHINE COMPANY will be held at the Hotel Fleischmann, Alexandria, Va., at 12 o'clock noon, THURSDAY, the 19th day of April, 1906, for the purpose of electing a board of directors to serve for the ensuing year and transacting such other business as may properly come before it. Transfer books will be closed on the 9th inst., at four o'clock p. m., and will be opened on April 24th at ten o'clock a. m.

By order of the board of directors.

WILFRED BANCROFT, Secretary,
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THE ANNUAL MEETING of the stockholders of the NATIONAL CAPITAL COPPER MINING COMPANY will be held at the office of said company, No. 128 south Fairfax street, Alexandria, Virginia, on TUESDAY, April 10, 1906, at 1 o'clock p. m., for the election of directors and for the transaction of such other business as may be proper. FRANCIS M. CRISWELL,
mar26 td Secretary.

THE ANNUAL MEETING of the ALEXANDRIA PERPETUAL BUILDING FUND ASSOCIATION will be held TUESDAY EVENING, April 10, 1906, at 7:30 o'clock, at their office, 313 King street.

JUSTUS SCHNEIDER, Secretary.
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Fancy Dress Silks, in all the new leading shades; 75c value for 59c.

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Black Guaranteed Taffeta Silk, 89c value for 75c.

New Silk Brilliants, 49c value at 25c.

Silk Aeolians, in all shades, at 25c yard.

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Yard 50c, 75c and $1.00.

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Yard 25c, 39c, 50c and $1.00.

New Black Taffeta Silks,

Yard 50c, 75c, $1 and $1.50.

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THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 5, 1906.

CHAIRMAN PAYNE, of the ways and means committee, yesterday submitted the report of the committee favoring the passage of the free alcohol bill. It is an argument showing the necessity for the legislation and states that, judging from the experience of other countries, no fraud in the revenues is likely to follow. The report shows that nearly five gallons can be made from a bushel of corn and the average price of corn for five years has been something like 42 cents. This would make the entire cost of alcohol something less than 12 cents a gallon. For years the extensive business interests employing alcohol in manufactures and the arts have struggled in vain to free this important raw material from an exorbitant internal revenue tax amounting to upward of $2 a gallon. It would be difficult to enumerate the long list of articles in the production of which alcohol is indispensable. But one objection to repeal of the tax was the alleged danger of loss to the internal revenues by the fraudulent tariff on alcohol for drink. No sooner, however, had this objection been met by the process of denaturing alcohol so as to make it totally unfit for drink than a formidable opposition arose in the Standard Oil trust in its fear of alcohol as a cheap rival of kerosene as fuel for auto mobiles as well as for light. But the ways and means committee has at last reported the bill in favor of repealing the tax, and it is not probable that the measure will encounter serious obstruction in either house of congress.

THE DEMOCRATS of Arkansas, for reasons probably satisfactory to themselves, have selected Gov. Jefferson Davis to succeed Senator Berry, a one legged Confederate soldier, as one of their representatives in the upper branch of the United States Congress, thus following in the wake of their fellow-democrats in Kentucky, who recently deposed one of the ablest of Senators in the person of Hon. J. S. C. Blackburn. Both Senators have grown grey in service and have won for themselves fame in the halls of the Senate. Their successors may be able men, but it is hard to believe they will fill the gap which will occur in the Senate next year. Should they eventually succeed in doing so, it will be after years of apprentice and toil.

IN A statement recently given to the press from Hot Springs, Mr. Andrew Carnegie tells why he is supporting spelling reform. He says that the effort will be conservative and that the editors who are disposed to ridicule it themselves use spellings which their predecessors would have denounced as degrading to literature. He thinks English is likely to prevail as a universal tongue, but that its illogical spelling is the chief obstacle to this end. Teachers have told him that children would be saved more than a year's instruction if our spelling were simplified. Speaking of the growth of the language, he says that a new word expresses a new want and that what is slang one year is correct English a few years later.

THE REPUBLICAN leaders in Congress for some years declares that it would never do to revise the tariff before an election and later they changed their tune and said a revision must not be made after an election. Yesterday, to be in between, Representative Davidson, of Wisconsin, introduced a resolution, providing that the ways and means committee shall sit during the recess to ascertain trade conditions, with a view to tariff revision. The proposition is hardly likely to get favorable consideration. Neither the friends of revision nor the "stand-patters" would care to be responsible for such an inquiry.

In recording the 9,965 business failures of 1905 in this country, Bradstreet's classifies the causes under eleven heads, chief of which is lack of capital. Next to this sands incompetence. The number of failures due to fraud was comparatively small, being a little over 10 per cent. This would appear to show that "the commercial world is not permeated with dishonesty." But many people will continue to believe that it is, despite Bradstreet's.

CONTRARY to the popular idea that sunlight is always health-giving, the theory is now advanced in the Medical Record that disease, and especially cancer, is caused, or at least accentuated, by the sun's rays. It is known that sunlight contains the ultra violet or X-rays, which have been found to be injurious to bodily tissues. After this discovery a popular admonition will be "come in out of the sun" instead of come in out of the wet.

The movement to open membership of the Daughters of Liberty to any good American citizen, regardless of his membership in the Junior Order of American Mechanics, failed to pass at the meeting of the State Council at Atlantic City, N. J., today. An effort to get the matter referred was defeated.

From Washington.

[Correspondence of the Alexandria Gazette.]

Washington, April 5.

The President's dispatch boat Dolphin carried Earl Grey, the Canadian Governor-General, and Lady Grey to Mount Vernon this morning to visit the home of Washington and the tomb of the father of his country. Assistant Secretary of State Bacon was the official host, others of the party being those who have assisted in entertaining the Canadian visitors during their stay in Washington. The party returned to the city about 1:30 o'clock. A large luncheon in honor of Earl and Lady Grey was given this afternoon at the home of former Attorney General Wayne McVeagh.

Seventy-five traffic managers of the principal railroads of the south and east are in session at the New Willard today to organize an association, probably to be called "The American Association of General Freight Agents." D. M. Goodwin is presiding at the meeting. At the morning session committees on organization were appointed. Another session will be held late this afternoon.

The Navy Department has received a dispatch from Commander Southerland, commanding the U. S. naval forces in Dominican waters, stating that a small revolution has broken out at Samana, northern Santo Domingo. He adds that American property interests are not in danger. Commander Southerland stated that the government was caught unprepared, and that the U. S. gunboats Paducah and Don Juan de Austria had been hurried to Samana bay.

President Roosevelt received an invitation this morning to attend the 10th annual convention of the League of American Municipalities which is to be held at Chicago on September 26, 27, and 28. E. F. Dunne of Chicago, who headed the callers who presented the invitation said after the interview with the President that the latter expressed the hope that he would be able to attend but had made no definite promise.

President Roosevelt will go to Norfolk on Decoration Day for the purpose of making the Memorial Day address before the members of the Army and Navy Union who will have charge of placing flowers on the graves in the old cemetery. Upon that occasion the President will probably deliver in substance the same speech that he made a few weeks ago at the dinner given by Speaker Cannon to the Gridiron Club of Washington. On that evening he took as his text "The Man with the Muck Rake"—that character in Pilgrim's Progress who is so busy raking over the filth about him that he is unable to see any of the beauties of life.

The final session of the convention of the National Association of Railway Commissioners was held today, after which the commissioners were received by President Roosevelt. Seattle, Washington, was chosen as the next place of meeting. The subject of rate making was up for discussion during the morning. John S. McMillan of Washington State, was elected President of the commissioners this afternoon.

A bill for the relief of Caleb Powers former Secretary of State of Kentucky, who is soon to stand his fourth trial as an accessory to the killing of Governor William Goebel, was introduced in the House, today, by Mr. Hughes, (republican West Virginia.) The bill amends the federal statutes so that any defendant in a criminal action who cannot have his rights protected in the State courts, may have his case removed to a federal court upon petition.

James R. Garfield, commissioner of corporations, is at work closing up his report to be submitted to the President on the Standard Oil Company. The report will be submitted within the next twenty days.

The House committee on labor, today ordered a favorable report on the bill, prohibiting any officer of the government from purchasing or contracting for convict made goods for the use of the government.

President Roosevelt had been holding further consultations with democratic Senators on the railroad rate bill. Today he conferred with Senators Overman, of North Carolina, and Daniel, of Virginia. It is understood that they came to the White House at the President's invitation.

The Senate committee on the Panama Canal today appointed a sub-committee consisting of Senators Kittredge, Knox and Morgan, to draft a bill to provide a permanent form of government for the canal zone.

The President today nominated Chas. P. Nair, to be postmaster at Clifton Forge, Va.

Charges have been preferred against postmaster George Hart, who has been appointed postmaster at Roanoke. The nomination is being held up and has been referred to Senator Scott, of West Virginia, who will investigate the charges. The charges are understood to refer to a real estate transaction of a few months ago.

The threatening weather of today had little effect on the crowd from this city that went to Benning to see the races. The weather during the week could not have been better and the races came up to the expection of all at the track.

Mr. McCumber introduced in the Senate today a number of amendments to the railway rate bill which, among other things, provides that the receiving or giving of money or other considerations in the matter of transportation shall be considered fraud.

A Protest from Senator Daniel.

In the Senate yesterday Mr. Newlands discussed the railroad rate bill and Mr. Daniel the question of the lack of representation by the southern States in the public service. Mr. Daniel's speech was based on a provision in the urgent deficiency appropriation bill for the representation of the United States at the next Pan-American Congress, to be held in Rio Janerio next July. He said that the plans of the State Department did not contemplate representation of the south or the far west, and then entered upon a general consideration of southern participation in public affairs, contending that political differences should not be permitted to prevent such participation on a broader scale.

"There are 10 or 12 states," he said, "which are not adequately represented in the higher spheres of American life." He declared that at this time the eyes of this country were turned southward more than ever before in its history and said that while we were looking to the widening of our commerce we should turn our eyes to our own home and have it united in every fiber. He closed with a suggestion for the increase of the appropriation to $75,000 so as to permit the appointment of two more commissioners. The amendment was accepted and the bill passed

Governor Stokes, of New Jersey, has signed the equal tax bill.

News of the Day.

General Von Mack thinks Japan is making preparations for war with the United States.

The hearing in the case of United States Senator Burton, of Kansas, was completed in the Supreme Court of the United States yesterday.

A vigorous fight will be made in the Senate against the confirmation of the nomination of Mr. Benjamin F. Barnes, former assistant secretary to the President, to be postmaster of Washington.

Sixty men at Port Hope, Ontario, Ont., are on strike for free beer. They work at the big Port Hope brewery. They got free drinks out six times a day and when the supply was cut off yesterday to reduce expenses, all went on strike.

Senator Thos. S. Martin yesterday introduced a bill in the Senate appropriating $50,000 for widening and rebuilding the National Boulevard at Fredericksburg, from Princess Anne street in that city to the National Cemetery, laying sidewalks, etc.

Larry Rogers, who recenfly told the district attorney of New York a false story about a plot to assassinate Rev. Charles H. Parkhurst, the clergyman and reform leader, was yesterday sentenced to seven years and six months' imprieonment in Sing Sing for perjury.

The National Association of Railway Commissioners in Washington yesterday adopted a resolution urging Congress to direct the Interstate Commerce Commission to ascertain the values of railway property in the various States. The association also urged the adoption of a railroad rate bill.

J. Burdett, president of the Eufaula, I. T., National Bank, merchant and one of the most prominent and wealthy men of the Creek Nation, was assassinated at his home at midnight. He was found dead yesterday morning about 6 o'clock near the rear of his residence. He had been shot in the temple.

Former Senator David B. Hill, of New York, was accorded a warm reception when he appeared on the floor of the Senate yesterday afternoon for the first time in some years. Not desirous of being conspicuous, he spent most of his time at the Capitol in the democratic cloak room talking with old colleagues and new Senators.

In the House yesterday Mr. Fitzgerald, of New York, criticised the President for his alleged interference in the legislative work of Congress. The postoffice bill was taken up for consideration, and Mr. Overstreet explained the provisions of the measure. The report on the bill to grant free alcohol in the arts and sciences was made to the House yesterday by Chairman Payne.

A three days celebration of the twenty-fifth anniversary of the founding of the Tuskegee Normal and Industrial Institute was begun at Tuskegee Institute, Ala., yesterday. Prof. Booker T. Washington, the founder and principal of the school, made the welcome address. Secretary of War Taft declared that the colored vote is destined to be the balance of power between the white political divisions.

The magnificently furnished offices in New York occupied by Richard McCurdy when he was president of the Mutual Life, have been dismantled and the floor space rented to the Delaware and Hudson Railroad Company. The furnishings, which were imported from France at an expense to the policyholders of almost $100,000, have been stored away in the Mutual building. It is not known what will be done with them ultimately, but the present management of the company will undoubtedly take steps to dispose of such of them not available for use.

The principal topic of talk at the Capitol yesterday was the decision of the U. S. Supreme Court in the Michigan tax cases, rendered on Monday. Unquestionably, it has gone far to strengthen the now generally accepted opinion in the Senate that the pending Hepburn railroad-rate bill, if enacted into law without amendment, would probably be held by the Supreme Court to be unconstitutional and void, on the ground that it would attempt to confer a purely legislative function upon an administrative commission. This is the belief of almost all the conservative Senators.

The sensational suit filed by Miss Mae C. Wood against United States Senator Thomas C. Platt, William Loeb, secretary to the President, and former Postmaster General Wynne, for $150,000 damages was called in court in Omaha yesterday and dismissed by Judge Kennedy because no one appeared for the plaintiff. Miss Wood alleged that she had written a book entitled "The Love Letters of a Boss," which comprised a number of letters, which, she said, had been written to her by Senator Platt. She said that Mr. Platt, with the assistance of Mr. Wynne and Mr. Loeb, got the letters from her and refused to return them.

A dispatch from Berlin says that Kaiser William, on his own invitation, dined yesterday evening with Charlemagne Tower, United States Ambassador, at the palatial residence of the Ambassador. The house was beautifully decorated with flowers for the occasion. Covers for 24 were laid for the dinner. Twelve of the party were Americans.

Rendered Desperate by Joke

Atlanta, Ga., April 5.—As the result of brooding over an April Fool joke perpetrated upon him by his wife last Sunday, W. O. Roberts, a business man of Atlanta, slashed his throat with a razor yesterday and will probably die. The wife discovered her husband as he was slashing himself with the razor and took the weapon away, receiving a painful cut in the struggle. Mrs. Roberts on Sunday, in a playful mood, told her husband there was a cow in the yard. After learning that he had been fooled, Roberts became morose and sullen, and up until he cut his throat refused to speak to his wife. As doctors were stitching Roberts' throat, he managed to say: "I have been a good husband to her for years and she ought not to have played an April Fool joke on me."

Letter to Wm. L. Clark,

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Dear Sir: You know what paint is, how it does it, how it fails, what paint does it and what paint don't. It's your business to know; of course you know Devoe.

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Virginia News.

Miss Roberta Willis died yesterday at Charles Town, W. Va., at an advanced age.

William Andrews, aged 70 years, died Monday at the home of his son, in Essex county. He was a Confederate soldier.

An epidemic of smallpox has broken out at Hinckel, in the western part of Frederick county, and the situation is causing alarm.

Mrs. Margaret Anderson, widow of Israel Anderson, died Tuesday at the home of her son, J. E. Anderson, at Kerns, Frederick county, aged 81 years.

The engagement of Dr. St. George Tucker Grinnan, of Richmond, to Miss Susie Dabney, of the University of Virginia, is announced. The marriage will be celebrated April 18, in the university chapel.

The total number of students enrolled to March 20, at the University of Virginia, was 724, which is an increase of 18 over the number for the whole of last session and is the largest is the history the institution.

W. H. Buckner, jr., of Rappahannock Academy, Caroline county, who was charged with using the mails for fraudulent purposes, was acquitted of the charge in the United States Court, at Richmond, Tuesday.

Louis Stimmell, son of R. S. Stimmell, of Whitehall, and Miss Ollie Mauzy, daughter of George Mauzy, of Siler, both of Frederick county, were married Wednesday morning at the United Brethern Church, Winchester.

It was officially announced yesterday that the negotiations which have been pending for some weeks looking to the amalgamation of the First National and People's National Banks of Lynchburg have been stopped and the merger will not take place.

A. W. Ward, eighty-years old, while shooting at a hawk near Lynch's accidentally shot his wife in the shoulder and face, landing over forty shot in her temple and several in her mouth, imbedding one shot in a tooth. Mrs. Ward has been unconscious ever since the accident.

The republican of the Senate and House of Representatives met in joint caucus at the close of the session of the House yesterday and selected the members of the republican congressional campaign committee. The Virginia member is Col. Campbell Slemp.

The revenue department is moving against the druggists in Richmond to enforce the notice issued from the department some months ago to require those who sold medicines carrying a high degree of alcohol to take out regular liquor license. April 1 was the limit allowed. Few have complied so far with this ruling.

The son of W. J. Todd, late treasurer of Henrico county, yesterday paid $10,000 to the county treasurer on account of his father's shortage. The authorities will give a reasonable time for him to settle up the estate and pay the balance. The Fidelity and Casualty Company is his bondsman, and the city will look to them for whatever balance his estate may not liquidate.

In a raid Tuesday night on a house at 2012 May street, Richmond, five well dressed young women were arrested. The raid was instituted by a brother of a girl 17 years old. Ada Gordon, 15 years old the little girl mixed up in the notorious Delia Haynes case, was one of the five found at the place. She was turned over to the Children's Society. The women were put under bond for their good behavior. and Ada Perkinson, the proprietress, was held for further evidence.

Rev. Julian Broadus, pastor of the Baptist church at Berryville, officiated at three weddings there yesterday. The couples were Dr. Warren Helvestine, of Berryville, and Miss Lillian Copenhaver, of Millwood, Clarke county, whose home will be at Lynchburg, Va; C. K. Foley and Miss Lydia Louthan, both of Clarke county, who will reside at Pitcairn, Pa., and Charles Fettner, of Jefferson county, W. Va., and Miss Bertha Lloyd, of Clarke county, whose home will be near Berryville.

M. P. Conference.

The members of the Maryland Annual Conference of the Methodist Protestant Church, which assembled in annual session yesterday morning in West Baltimore Church, at the corner of Lafayette avenue and Gilmore street, Rev. J. M. Holmes, pastor, were thrown into a state of surprise during the closing hours of the afternoon by the introduction of a resolution to limit the term of the president of the Conference to three years, instead of five, which latter is the present time limit. After the matter had been tabled President Little remarked that he was in favor of a one-year term, with the privilege, however, of renewing the term.

Just previous to the introduction of the resolution Mr. Little was re-elected for the fifth term to the presidency by a vote of 122.

Another question which will probably develop some interesting debates at the present session will be that of the proposed union of the Methodist Protestant denomination with the Congregationalist and United Brethren denominations.

President Little's annual address to the Conference was one of the features of yesterday's session, and dealt generally with the excellent work which has been accomplished in the Maryland district during the past year. A large number of churches and parsonages have been improved and renovated during the year, and the sum total of indebtedness paid on church property during the year was $116,372.07, which was in excess of one year ago. There were 1,884 conversions in the district and 2,545 accessions to the churches during the year. A large number of pastor' salaries were increased, and splendid revivals were reported from nearly every charge. After the appointment of the standard committees the conference adjourned for the day.

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Today's Telegraphic News

Situation Unchanged.

New York, April 5.—In the event of the anthracite operators refusing to accept any of the demands of the miners, whether they be modified or in the original form, presented at the first conference, John Mitchell will, in the last endeavor to avoid a strike, propose that all existing differences be submitted to arbitration. A refusal to consider the arbitration proposition will end in a strike. The sub-scale committee met again this morning to go over the demands for the last time before the conference with the operators this afternoon. Should the operators accept the proposition for arbitration, the scale committee will call a convention next week at either Hazelton or Wilkesbarre.

John Mitchell was uncommunicative this morning on the outlook. The position of the operators, to all outward appearances, was unchanged this morning. They say they will refuse all the demands of the miners and when the proposition for arbitrations was suggested they said that the Anthracite Commission represented the arbitration principle, and that since the miners had virtually refused to accede or continue operations under the commission's award, there could be no further reason for submitting the same questions to another arbitration board.

The operators take a view that the demands which the miners have presented are practically the same ones that were considered and decided upon by the anthracite commission three years ago, and that no new principles or situations have arisen since then. It is not known whether the joint conference this afternoon will be the deciding one.

New York, April 5.—What may prove to be the last effort to bring about a settlement of the difficulties in the hard coal region was begun this afternoon, when the scale committee of the miners and the operators met again in the offices of the Grand Trunk Association in the Jersey Central building. The prospect for peace this afternoon seems gloomy because of certain statements made by the operators who declared before going into conference that they were not disposed to concede any of the miners' demands. President Vaer, of the Philadelphia and Trading Railroad Company, declined to make any statement, but it is known that his attitude towards the demands has not changed in the last few days.

President John Mitchell of the Miners' union when asked today if the modified demands would be presented, declined to talk. He would not say anything about the situation at all.

The conference began at 1:15 o'clock Just how long the meeting will last, no one can even make aguess.

The operators before the conference began stated that they were in no hurry to conclude the meeting, and the miners representatives would have all the time they desired to present their demands and to discuss them.

New York, April 5.—The coal meeting adjourned at 2·20 p. m. It was announced after the conference that another meeting would be held at 1:30 o'clock Monday afternoon.

No official statement was issued by the operators regarding what had taken place at the session today: President Baer said that he did not care to talk about the proceedings.

President Mitchell stated that he would go to the Ashland House, the headquarters of the miners committee and later would issue a statement. The members of the miners committee appeared to be gloomy when they emerged from the conference room.

Shamokin, Pa., April 5.—Mine workers here are hoping that the operators will grant them some concessions at today's conference at New York, and that a strike will be averted. Not a colliery in this vicinity is working and no mine workers, whether union or non union, have reported for duty.

Pittsburg, Pa., April 5.—The delegates to the district miners convention now in session in Pittsburg this morning expelled President Patrick Dolan and Vice President Bellingham from the organization. Dolan, notwithstanding the fact that he is now down and out, still maintains his legal rights to the district presidency and the matter will now go to the courts.

Mahanoy City, Pa., April 5.—Seventeen telegraph operators and a train dispatcher on the Mahanoy Hazelton division of the Lehigh Valley Railroad were laid off indefinitely as a result of the suspension of labor at the mines. Everything is quiet in the Schuylkill region. Commissaries are being built at many of the collieries. Non union men are arriving in the region.

Freeland, Pa., April 5.—The first violence since the suspension of work in the mines in this district occurred last night, when Thomas Green, who had been working at Drifton, was held up at Woodside and severely beaten. He was found by other employees later in the throes of death, and taken to the Drifton office where physicians were called and attended him. The man is in bad shape. Arrests are expected to be made today. Officers are now guarding the stripping excavation south of the town.

Prince von Buelow Paralyzed.

Berlin, April 5.—Prince von Buelow, the German Chancellor, was overcome with a fainting attack in the Reichstag today and was carried unconscious to an ante-room. The Chancellor had just finished making an address to the Reichstag on the subject of the Algeciras agreement, when he suddenly turned pale as a ghost, and fell heavily to the floor in a faint, before anyone could reach his side to catch him. Deputies of all parties at once rushed to his assistance and he was carried into an ante-room. Medical aid was quickly summoned. The Chancellor remained unconscious for some time, however, and it is still uncertain whether the attack was a mere fainting fit or the result of some more serious illness. Following the collapse of the Chancellor the sitting was adjourned Three physicians made futile attempts to revive von Buelow in the ante-room to which he was first taken and he was then conveyed in an unconscious condition to his official residence, a distance of a mile. He was still unconscious on his arrival there. For an hour and a quarter the fainting spell lasted and then, responding to the efforts of the doctors, the Chancellor opened his eyes. It was feared before Count von Buelow regained consciousness that he had suffered a paralytic stroke, but happily this proved not to be the case.

Berlin, April 5.—Prince von Buelow has suffered a paralytic stroke. The attack occurred this afternoon, and his fainting spell in the Reichstag earlier in the day was the forerunner of the more serious attack. The prince is progressing favorably considering the nature of his illness. The attack is attributed to the fact that he overtaxed his strength in his efforts in behalf of Germany at the Algeciras conference, while he has been under a great strain because of the Moroccan affair for nearly a year.

Germany and Siam.

Berlin, April 5.—Now that the Moroccan question has been settled the peace of the world is likely to be menaced in Siam. The Kaiser, encouraged by the outcome of the Moroccan conference, is determined to share in the spoils in Siam and is shaping his course to do so. The Pan-German weekly Review, Der Deutsche, today publishes an article entitled "After Morocco Comes Siam," which seems to give the cue to the German programme. The review argues that Germany cannot recognize the existing agreement between England and France defining the spheres of influence in Siam, and points out that Germany's commercial interests there are very important and, in fact, greater than those of England or France since the North German Lloyd Steamship line bought up two British steamer lines trading with Hongkong, Singapore, and Bankok, the capital of Siam, in 1900, and Germans are superintending the construction of railways and public works there. In conclusion, todays article in Der Deutsche says: "We express the urgent desire that the government will defend German interests in Siam more vigorously and with less tendency to compromise than it did in Morocco." Sensational developments are expected soon.

British Forces Cut Off.

Durban, Africa, April 5.—A party of police and others who went on to rescue women and children in an isolated lager in chief Bambaata's country, were attacked by Bambaata's men and a running fight was kept up for six miles. The police casualties were three dead and six injured. It is reported that the rebels are in strong numbers and that they are flushed with success. A number of artillery volunteers will be sent out to move against them today.

London, April 5.—A dispatch to the Reuter Telegram Company from Durbau, Africa, states that the rebels have cut off a part of the British force sent to subdue them. The women and children for whom the police were searching were rescued. The fight with the natives occurred as the rescuing party was returning to Greytown. The main force of troops and police at Impanza has been compelled to abandon its position and retire after heavy fighting to make its way toward Greytown. A new lager has been formed there, and defense will be made against the natives. The entire force in the field does not exceed a few hundred men.

Panic in a Hotel.

Lynn, Mass., April 5.—Fifty patrons of the Arnold House in the Mower Block, on Union street, became panic stricken early this morning when fire started in the building, and many unable to escape through the dense smoke were rescued by firemen. Mrs. George H. Merrill, wife of the proprietor, Mrs. Helen A. Cushin and Mrs. Forest were overcome by smoke and had to be carried bodily from the burning building. Three firemen were found unconscious from escaping gas and rescured by their fellow firemen. All the hotel patrons escaped in the scantiest attire. The Arnold House occupied the second, third, and fourth floors of the building: On the ground floor is a series of stores, all of which were damaged. The total loss is estimated at about $10,000.

Disorders in France.

Paris, April 5.—Seven hundred locksmiths at Fressenville, near Abbeville, became furious yesterday over the dismissal of one of their companions and last night broke all the windows in the factory where they were employed. They then marched to the chateau, which was occupied by their employer, and bivouaced on the ground. The disturbance it is feared will arouse a general strike throughout the district.

Paris, April 5.—At the offices of the Minister of the Interior and the Minister of Public Works the opinion was expressed today that the strike on the part of the coal miners in the neighborhood of Lens would be settled within forty-eight hours owing to the concessions which the companies have granted to the miners.

Plantation Melodies.

Tuskegee, Ala., April 5.—One of the interesting features of the "Tuskegee Silver Jubilee," now being conducted here in celebration of the 25th anniversary of Booker Washington's industrial school, is a revival of the old-time plantation melodies. For several weeks past Prof. J. W. Work, of Fisk, who has made a special study of the quaint and beautiful hymns of the slaves now threatening to become extinct, has been drilling the student choir. The music has been scattered through all the exercises of the past two days and has contributed to one of the main objects of the celebration, which was to give students as well as outsiders a deeper insight into the actual conditions of negro life. Today's addresses were for the most part by colored men.

Preparing for Strike.

Mahanoy City, Pa., April 5.—John Perker, of the Perker Coal Co., who operates washeries in the Schuylkill field, got word today from an operator in New York to prepare for a strike, as the operators have agreed to reject each and every demand of the United Mine Workers.

The House of Commons tower at Ottawa, Ont., over 100 feet high and just on the point of completion collapsed at noon, causing many thousands of dollars damages.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy the Best and Most Popular.

"Mothers buy it for croupy children, railroad men buy it for severe coughs and elderly people buy it for la grippe," says Moore Bros., Eldon, Iowa. "We sell more of Chamberlain's Cough Remedy than any other kind. It seems to have taken the lead over several other good brands." There is no question but this medicine is the best that can be procured for coughs and colds, whether it be a child or an adult that is afflicted. It always cures and cures quickly. Sold by Gibson & Timberman and W. F. Creighton & Co.

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Sad Fate of a Balloonist.

Death in the waters of Bass creek, a small stream winding through the meadows along the south shore of Long Island, ended the daring balloon ascent Tuesday afternoon of Paul Nocquet, a French sculptor of note and an enthusiastic amateur aeronaut. The body was found last night on a muddy shore of the creek where the tide had left it, and not a great distance from where Nocquet's collapsed balloon was discovered late Tuesday night by the life savers of Jones Beach.

The discovery of the body put an end to a seach by Nocquet's associates of the Aero Club of New York.

Nocquet apparently landed in safety with his car, and in fighting his way out of the meadows in the darkness had traversed about two-fifths of the distance from Jones Beach to Amityville, several miles, when he died. He had crossed 18 or 14 different islands and had swam or waded through the runlets between them.

That Nocquet traveled as far as he did is considered wonderful. He must have struggled the last mile of the two he traveled under fearful difficulties. He essayed a trip that few men could possibly complete in daylight.

The valve-controlling ropes of the balloon when found indicated that the descent had been started by Nocquet's action and that it must have been gradual.

When Nocquet started on his flight Tuesday afternoon the wind was blowing out to sea. This meant that unless he should come down after being up but a short time, having started from the Bronx, he would surely be blown across Long Island and out over the ocean. A life-preserver was strapped inside the basket and the word to let go was given.

The balloon in its flight passed over Jamaica, Garden City, Westbury, Jericho and Cold Spring Harbor, then darkness came and shut it from view.

What its course was after passing over Huntington at about 8:15 p. m., there is no means of knowing. Nothing further was heard of it until its discovery on Jones Beach was announced yesterday.

Captain Austin, of the Jones Beach life-saving station, who found the balloon, reported yesterday morning that it apparently had been dragged along some distance in the sand. Tracks about the balloon seemed to indicate that the aeronaut had survived his flight. This fact gave the searchers courage throughout the day.

Capt. George Smith, of Amityville, who had joined in the search early in the day, located the body last night on the muddy bank of Bass creek, and made it fast to a stake. It will be taken to Amityville today after having been viewed by the coroner.

Wide attention was recently attracted to Nocquet's work as a sculptor by a bronze figure of President Roosevelt, entitled "A Presidential Vacation." This figure represents the President, dragging the bear by the ear, while in his right hand he holds aloft a cub. The efforts of the artist pleased the President, who sent him a complimentary letter.

Nocquet was born in Brussels in 1877 and studied painting under Jean Portaels. Soon afterward he turned to sculpture and, at 20, won the grand prize of Belgium, which gave him a three-years' fellowship in Paris.

New York, April 5.—To determine the exact cause of death of Paul Nocquet, the balloonist, whose body was found on Scott Island in great South Bay, last night, an autopsy will be held at Amityville, L. I., this afternoon. It is believed that Nocquet died from heart trouble, following complete physical exhaustion and the mental anguish he must have felt when he believed he was being carried to sea by the big gas-filled balloon.

Train Ditched.

Lincoln, Neb., April 5.—The Puget Sound flyer on the Burlington was thrown into a ditch at 7 o'clock this morning near St. Michael, 15 miles west. The engineer ran several miles to the nearest station to report the wreck arriving nearly crazed. It is feared that many were killed and injured. A relief train is en route to the scene.

Advices state no person was killed in the wreck.

At Columbus, O., yesterday John H. Winder, president of the Ohio Operators' Association, gave out part of a letter he received from President Roosevelt, in which the President, replying to the request that a commission be appointed by him to settle the miners' strike, says: "To appoint a commission to meet with the miners and operators, as you request, would necessitate action on the part of Congress. As yet I am not prepared to say what action I personally will or can take in the matter."

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N. E. Cor. Fairfax and Wilkes, 8 rooms	12.50
239 S. Peyton, 6 rooms, a. m. i.	8.50
1405 King, 6 rooms	7.00
207 S. Peyton, 5 rooms	5.00
715 N. Fayette, 4 rooms	4.00

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Alexandria Gazette

THURSDAY EVENING. APRIL 5, 1906.

Local Matters.

Sun and Tide Table.

Sun rises tomorrow at 5:37 a. m. and sets at 6:29 p. m. High water at 4:51 a. m. and 5:19 p. m.

Weather Probabilities.

For this section showers and cooler tonight and Friday; variable winds.

Case Transferred.

The final adjudication of a legal controversy of exceptional character in the history of litigation in Virginia, involving both public and private property interests, has been referred to the Circuit court of Alexandria county in an order transferring the suit of the Winchester Memorial Hospital against the Handley board of trustees and the city of Winchester, trustee under the will of John Handley, from the Circuit Court of Frederick county to the Alexandria jurisdiction for hearing before Judge Chas. E. Nicol. The voluminous documents in the suit have been received by Mr. George H. Rucker, the clerk of the Circuit Court for Alexandria county, by express from Winchester. The hearing will occur at the next regular term of the court, the latter part of this month, and probably be in progress for several days.

The litigation, which was primarily instituted by Robert M. Ward, an attorney of the city of Winchester, to collect a claim for $2,000 from the trustees of a fund of $500,000, bequeathed to the municipality of Winchester for philanthropic purposes under the will of John Handley of Scranton, Pa., is being prosecuted by the Winchester Memorial Hospital as assignee of the claim of Mr Ward. Though the city of Winchester is named as one of the defendants in the suit, the action in reality is against the Handley board of trustees. It is claimed that the city owns the money and that the Handley board of trustees has no authority over it, except in an administrative capacity.

At the hearing in the Alexandria court the complainant will be represented by Attorney W. Roy Stephenson, of Winchester, while Attorney Holmes Conrad and R. E. Byrd, also of Winchester, will appear for the defendants.

It is shown by the court records that the cause was removed from the circuit court of Frederick county on account of the refusal of Judge T. W. Harrison of that court to preside at the hearing. Judge Harrison, it is said, considered that his personal interests in the issue made it improper for him to sit during the proceedings.

The Late Joseph L. Breen.

The fatal accident to Mr. Joseph L. Breen, a native of this city, has already been announced in the Gazette. He met his death on Thursday, March 29. The circumstances in connection with the sad affair have recently been received by relatives and friends in Alexandria. Mr. Breen was manager of the three lines of the People's Railway in Dayton, Ohio, and while crossing a temporary structure over Miami river he was hurled from the platform of a car and was drowned. The accident was witnessed by a number of people who saw Mr. Breen's struggles in the rapidly running water, but they were powerless to render him assistance. The high water, caused by recent heavy rains, had swollen the stream considerably, and Mr. Breen was leaning from the platform of the car endeavoring to ascertain what damage the freshet was doing the structure. It was while in this position that he was hurled from the car. After he had fallen into the water the unfortunate man swam and endeavored to reach land, but the swift running river prevented him from accomplishing his purpose and he soon became exhausted, the current carrying him out of sight. The body was not recovered until yesterday, and the interment was made today. Among those from this city who attended the funeral were Mr. P. F. Gorman and Dr. E. A. Gorman. Mr. Breen was born in Alexandria 41 years ago. He was a son of the late James Breen. The deceased was a contractor by occupation, and during manhood had occupied several important positions on railroads. A widow and eight children survive him.

Flower Carnival.

Alexandria Lodge, No. 758, of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks, purposes to give a "Flower Carnival" at Armory Hall, in this city, commencing May 14th and lasting ten days. Many of the arrangements have been made and it promises to be the largest bazar ever given in this State. A large number of donations have already been received and promises of many more have been made to the committee. Last night the executive committee of the ladies having in charge the carnival met at the Elks' Home at 8 o'clock, organized and made their preliminary plans. The ladies of the committee are Mrs. Eva Mushbach, chairman; Mrs. John Reed, secretary and treasurer; Mrs. Geo. Uhler, Mrs. T. Marshall Jones, Mrs. M. Morris, Mrs. Samuel Bendheim, Mrs. George L. Simpson, Mrs. Louis C. Barley, Miss Lula Smoot, Miss Cora Cochran, Mrs. Zora Hill, Mrs. J. B. Fitzgerald, Mrs. J. M. Hill, Mrs. M. W. O'Brien, Mrs. Frank M. Hill, Mrs. Henry F. Robertson, Mrs C. B. Marshall, Mrs. Ross T. Elliott, Mrs. George T. Caton. These ladies will select their assistants and have complete charge of the ladies' work at the carnival. The meeting last night was large and enthusiastic throughout. A collation was served the ladies after adjournment. The organization of Elks is one of the largest in this city and has done a vast amount of good in the community. From the interest manifested both by the ladies' committee and the members of the order it will no doubt be a great financial success, as the funds thus derived will be devoted to lifting the mortgage from the Elks' Home.

Oyster Supper.

Oriental Court (a side degree of the Junior Order of Mechanics) participated in an oyster supper last night Mr. C. H. Zimmerman's dining parlors in Market alley. Sixty members were present. At the close of the feast speeches were made by several of those present. A most enjoyable evening was spent.

Landmark Obliterated.

The old frame house which has stood on the northwest corner of Wolfe and Lee streets beyond the recollection of the oldest inhabitant is being torn down. A modern dwelling is to be placed on the site by Mr. Sidney Mankin.

Police Court.

[Justice H. B. Caton presiding.]

The following cases were disposed of last night:

Benjamin Hamilton, colored, arrested by Officer Henderson charged with assaulting and beating his wife, was fined $5

A white man, arrested by Officer Ferguson charged with assaulting a colored man, had his case continued until the 6th instant. Another white man, arrested by the same officer on a similiar complaint, was dismissed.

Edward Clark, arrested by Officer Jones charged with carrying concealed weapons and with assaulting Pio Durante with a pistol, had his case continued until the 6th instant.

There were two cases for trial this morning. A young man had been arrested by Officer Young charged with disorderly conduct. He was dismissed. Another man, who had been arrested by Officer Jones for improper conduct on the street, forfeited $5 collateral by failure to appear.

Rehearsal.

The mid-week rehearsal of the choir of St. Paul's Church was held Tuesday evening at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Sherman B. Fowler on south Washington street, the choir being invited to meet Dr. and Mrs. J. W. Bischoff, of Washington, and Miss Jessica Re Qua, of Rochester, N. Y. The choir is preparing an elaborate programme for the reopening of the church Easter Sunday morning, when the organ which is now being built in the new recess chancel by the Austin Organ Company of Hartford, Conn., will be used for the first time. After rebearsal, solos were sung by different members of the choir; also by Miss Re Qua and Mrs. Bischoff, Dr. Bischoff accompanying. Refreshments were served.

Boat Club.

The annual meeting of the Old Dominion Boat Club was held last night in the rooms of the Business Men's League, and the following officers were elected for the ensuing year: Board of Governors, Albert Bryan, chairman, William L. Allen, Arthur Bryant, Walter G. Rogers, Gardner L. Boothe; President, Albert Bryan; Vice President, N. P. T. Burke; treasurer, Arthur Herbert; Secretary, Paul B. Hulfish; Captain, Edward S Fawcett; First Lieutenant, Robert F. Green; Second Lieutenant, Jas A. Stoutenburgh. The treasurer reported the club in an excellent financial condition, and the members are looking forward with much pleasure to the bright prospects of a successful boating season.

Shoe Factory.

The Alexandria Shoe Manufacturing Company, which, as heretofore stated, has been reorganized, will, it is understood, soon begin operations on quite an extensive scale in the building at the southeast corner of Prince and Fairfax streets. The building is now being renovated and gotten in readness for the commencement of operations there. The organizers are Alexandrians and it is understood that Mr. Harry Poss will be manager of the factory.

Prospects for Fish.

No fish had landed at the corporation wharf this morning, although small lots had been anticipated. Prices consequently became firmer and in some instances slight advances were noted. The spring weather, it was thought, would bring some shad and herring higher up the river, but no catches were reported in fresh water. The recent currents and attendant muddy water have retarded operations.

The Weather.

Spring weather prevailed yesterday and last night, causing many to discard heavy clothing. Porches and doorsteps were again occupied by people and in numbers of houses fires were allowed to die out. The mercury stood at about 40° at 6 o'clock in the morning; it was nearing 73° between 3 and 4 p. m. and at 8 o'clock stood at 68°. The weather today has been mild, cloudy and threatening.

Bark a Total Loss.

The Italian bark Antonio, which with a cargo of bones from Uraguay for the Bryant Fertilizer Company of this city, went ashore last Saturday near Cape Henry, is broken in two. This is the report of the wreckers who returned to Norfolk from the wreck last night on the tug I. J. The belief is expressed that she will be a total loss, except such strippings as may be removed.

River Notes.

The thee-masted schooner Wm. P. Hood, which has been loading railroad ties at W. A. Smoot & Co's wharf for Boston, has sailed.

The schooner Five Sisters, from the lower river with lumber to Smoot & Co., has arrived.

Failed to Resuscitate Miners.

Paris, April 5.—In interviews printed in the Matin and Petit Parisien, as well as in public statements made to the ministers, Mining Delegate Simon, who is known by the nickname of "Rich," who accompanied the rescuers who explored the Courrieres mines yesterday, confirmed the announcement made yesterday that nine men whose bodies were still warm were found in one group in pit No. 4, in addition to Barthou, who was rescued. The efforts made to resuscitate the men, however, failed, as dispatches yesterday expressed the fear would be the case.

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Personal.

Rev. Chas. C. Pierce, D. D., chaplain at Fort Myer, will preach at Christ Church tonight. Dr. Pierce is a most interesting speaker and last summer and fall conducted a number of out-of-door meetings at the Cathedral close to Washington, which were largely attended.

Mr. D D. Davis, of Alexandria, is registered at The Kavanaugh.—[Harrisonburg Times.

Mrs. F. M. Burch is at her home, "Mt. Prospect," after spending the winter in Alexandria, where she has been on account of the illness and death of her mother, Mrs. Frances Smoot.—[Clarke Courier.

Mr. and Mrs. Lucien Blan Cologne have issued invitations to the marriage of their daughter, Kathryn Barnett, to Mr. David Graham, which is to take place on Tuesday afternoon, the seventeenth of April, at the First Presbyterian Church, Fayetteville, Tennessee.

Mrs. J. L Libby, of Lynn, Mass., is the guest of Mrs. M. P. Greene.

Mr. J. C. Milburn's nephew, Mr. Paul Clinton Whitney, will leave on Friday for Alaska, where he will be engaged in work under the U. S. Coast and Geodetic Survey.

LOCAL BREVITIES.

The monthly meeting of the Veteran Fire Association was held last night, but no business of interest was transacted.

Mr. W. H. H. Smith, of Washington, delivered an interesting illustrated lecture on the life of Christ, at Christ Church Parish Hall, last night.

A marriage license was issued in Washington yesterday to George Eggborn, of Eggbornville, and Mary N. Burgess, of Reva, Culpeper county.

A commission, consisting of Drs. Gorman and Wilkins and Magistrate Hammersly, yesterday adjudged James Gaines, colored, insane and he will be sent to an asylum.

The city ordinance forbidding the rolling of wheelbarrows on pavements is said in many instances to be more honored in the breach than in the observance in Alexandria.

The alarm of fire between four and five o'clock yesterday afternoon was caused by a fire in an out-house on Payne street, between King and Commerce. The damage was slight.

The Christ Church Guild of the Ministering Children's League will hold its closing meeting on Friday, April 6th at 4 p. m. At this meeting reports of the work, during the winter, will be read. All interested are cordially, invited to attend. The offering will be given to buy pillows for the Ministering Children's League cot at the Alexandria Hospital.

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Fifty-ninth Congress.

Washington, April 5.

SENATE.

When the Senate met today, Mr. Elkins gave notice that he would speak tomorrow afternoon on the pending railway rate bill.

When the railway rate bill was taken up, Mr. Newlands (Nevada) completed his speech in favor of the national incorporation of railroads.

Senator Stone, of Missouri, in a speech on the railroad rate bill paid his respects to President Roosevelt and the amendment proposed through Senator Long "hatched out" at a conference at the White House. He argued that that amendment does not restrict the jurisdiction of the courts to a degree that should make it obnoxious to the railroads.

Senator Stone favored an amendment that would restrict or limit the jurisdiction of the courts with reference to orders of the Interstate Commerce Commission, along the lines of the amendment prepared by Senator Bailey, of Texas.

HOUSE.

Speaker Cannon today designated the following members of the House to represent it at the celebration in Philadelphia April 17th, of the two hundredth anniversary of the birth of Benjamin Franklin: Messrs. Olmstead, Stevens, Cousins, Watson, Fassett, Hoar, Smith, Pou, Ryan and Watkins.

A bill providing for the holding of a six months term of the federal court at Birmingham, Ala., was passed.

The postoffice appropriation bill was then taken up and debated in committee of the whole.

Mr. Moon attacked the Southern Railway subsidy, paid for the transportation of mails from Washington to New Orleans.

Henry T. Rainey, the only Illinois democrat in Congress, made a speech in which he took the stand that American industries which have become so strong that they are able to establish two prices, one at which they sell for home consumption and a lower for export are strong enough to get along without a protective tariff. He used the tariff on watches as an object lesson to demonstrate that the present tariff schedules require substantial revision.

The Algeciras Conference.

Madrid, Spain, April 5.—Senor Ojeda, the diplomat, left here this morning for Algeciras, taking with him the printed text of the protocol, setting forth the terms of the agreement reached by the international conference on Moroccan affairs. This will be signed by the delegates on Saturday, and Sener Ojeda will return with the document on Monday.

Alfonso Visits the Canaries.

Madrid, April 5.—King Alfonso visited the Island of Hierro of the Canary group yesterday. A heavy sea was running, making the landing extremely difficult. The king and the ministers accompanying him waded ashore. The boat containing the musicians with the party capsized, but all the occupants were saved.

Mount Vesuvius Active.

Rome, April 5.—Mount Vesuvius is again in eruption and the situation is very serious. Five streams of lava are descending the mountain sides into the villages. All the residents of the neighboring villages have left their homes and taken refuge out of the reach of the lava. A dispatch from Naples says that showers of ashes from Mount Vesuvius have fallen in that city.

Naples, April 5.—The eruption of Mount Vesuvius has become so acute that the people of the surrounding country has become greatly alarmed. The shower of ashes from the volcano falling in this city is so thick that pedestrians are compelled to carry umbrellas in the streets. The sky is obscured from view.

The Market.

Georgetown, April 5.—Wheat 68@83.

TELEGRAPHIC BREVITIES.

Miss Ethel Barrymore, the talented actress was operated upon this morning in Boston for appendicitis.

A dispatch from Boise, Idaho, says that the attorneys defending Haywood, Moyer and Pettibone, the Western Federation of Miners' officials, have procured a writ of error from the Chief Justice of the Supreme Court of the State and will go before the United States Supreme Court at Washington.

Professor Nicholas Senn, of Chicago, and Professor Will and Henry Welch, of Baltimore, were today unanimously elected honorary members of the Vienna Medical Society. Prof. Senn is connected with the Chicago University and Prof. Welch is connected with Johns Hopkins University.

Killed by Collapse of a Hall.

Berlin, April 5.—A large hall attached to the Hotel Black Stag, in Nagold, South Germany, collapsed today while the place was crowded with members of local associations who were celebrating at an annual fete. All were buried beneath a heap of ruins. Estimates regarding the number killed vary from 100 to 300. Many corpses have already been extricated from the ruins.

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There are not only remnants in these particular departments, but remnants in all departments, which are quite as important—such as Linens, Upholstery, Rugs, Women's and Children's Ready-to-wear Clothing, Men's Furnishings, Traveling and Sporting Goods, Furniture, Housekeeping Supplies, Housefurnishings, &c.

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THURSDAY EVENING, APRIL 5, 1906.

Report of the State Entomologist.

The fifth report of the State Entomologist, Mr. J. L. Phillips, has been published at Blacksburg. The result of recent experiments in the fumigation of nursery stock are discussed in this report, and attention is directed to some of the main points to be observed in doing such work, in order to make it fully effective against the San Jose scale, without injury to the plants. Attention is called to the condition of nurseries in the State and methods of control, with notes on the character of stock that is objectionable and should not be planted by our fruit growers.

The orchard inspection work in the State is also discussed, and a few notes added on treatment, and special mention made of the preparation of the lime-sulphur wash without cooking, though the latter is not recommended. A short discussion of steam cooking this wash also appears in the report, with hints in regard to the most economical and satisfactory methods of applying steam to this work. Mr. Phillips hopes that this report will prove of value to the fruit growers and will be glad to send copies to those who request it.

Drowned During Hurricane.

The steamer Moana, which arrived at Honolulu yesterday, reports that 12 persons were drowned during the hurricane which recently swept over Tahiti and the neighboring islands.

Before the windstorm broke over Papete the sea rose steadily after a high tide to 20 feet above the normal mark, and by 11 o'clock on the night of February 11 was wrecking the wooden buildings and splashing between the American and the British consulates.

At first no alarm was felt, but the continuation of the rise caused a panic. The wind blew in brief hurricane blasts every few minutes, tearing up trees and sending roofs flying through the air.

Signals for assistance were seen in Papete from Lebiloc, a white resident of Motua Island, but it was impossible to render any help until morning, when the body of Lebiloc's wife was rescued from the top of a cocoanut palm, whither it had been washed.

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Dowie.

It was decided in Chicago yesterday, by Overseer Voliva, of Zion City, that in view of the announced intention of John Alexander Dowie to return from Mexico to fight the action suspending him from office that the present overseer shall be appointed receiver of the Church of Zion and of all the public properties standing in the name of the church. The courts probably will be asked to name Voliva as receiver within the next few days. It was also asserted by the officers of Zion City that if Dowie returns and commences legal action against the present officers of the church or attempts to oust them they will cause his arrest and prosecution on the charge of misuse of funds.

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About Rheumatism.

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Effective with first car from Washington, D. C., Saturday, March 24, and first car from Roanoke, Va., Sunday, March 25, Pullman Drawing-room Sleeping Car Line will be inaugurated between Washington and Roanoke, on Southern Railway trains Nos. 41 and 42, in connection with Norfolk and Western Railway.

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OPENING AND CLOSING OF MAILS

Northern mails, week days, close at 7 15, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 2 00, 6 10, 8 15 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 30 p. m. On Sundays Northern mails close at 9 00 a. m., 2 00 p. m. and 7 20 p. m.

Southern mails via Charlottesville close at 7 10 and 10 20 a. m., and 2 00, 9 30 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 2 30 and 4 30 p. m.

Southern mails, via Richmond, close at 10 20 a. m., and 3 20, 6 10 and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 a. m. and 1 and 4 p. m.

Manassas Division mails close at 7 15 a. m. and 3 20 p. m. Open at 12 00 m.

Alexandria and Round Hill mails close at 7 30 a. m. and 4 15 p. m. Open at 9 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Chesapeake and Ohio mails close at 2 00 p. m. and 10 15 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m. and 6 30 p. m.

Washington mails close at 7 15, 8 55 and 11 00 a. m., and 2 00, 6 10, 8 23 and 10 30 p. m. Open at 8 00 a. m., 12 00 m. and 4 00 p. m. and 4 30 p. m.

Office Hours—Open at 8 00 a. m. Close at 6 00 p. m.

Sunday Hours—Open at 9 00 a. m. Close at 10 00 a. m.

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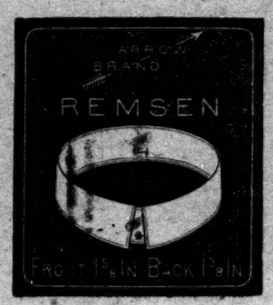

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PROPOSALS.

GENERAL DEPOT OF THE QUARTERmaster's Department, Washington, D. C., March 15, 1906.—Sealed proposals, in triplicate, will be received at this office until 2 o'clock p. m., Friday, April 13, 1906, for Extension of Water Distribution System at Fort Myer, Va. Plans and specifications may be seen and information obtained by applying to this office. The United States reserves the right to accept or reject any or all proposals, or any part thereof. Envelopes containing proposals must be marked "Proposals for Extension of Water Distribution System," and addressed to Capt A. W. BUTT, Quartermaster, U. S. A., in charge of depot.

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AUCTION SALES.

BY VIRTUE OF A DEED OF TRUST executed by Annie M. Mero (widow), dated February 7, 1898, and recorded in Liber A. No. 6, page 257 of the land records of Fairfax county, Virginia, and default having been made in the payment of the debt secured thereby, the undersigned trustee in the said deed will at 12 o'clock m., on

SATURDAY,
the 14th day of April, 1906,

in front of the Royal street entrance to the Market Building, in the city of Alexandria, Virginia, sell at public auction for cash the following described real estate; ALL THAT TRACT OF LAND situated in Fairfax county, Virginia, being a part of the tract called "Vinegar Hill," and including about 5 acres of the tract of land formerly Mason's and bounded and described as follows: Beginning at "A," a stone on the southwestern side of the road called the Accotink Turnpike; thence S. 19° E 14.55 chains to "B" on the southwestern side of said road, corner to the lot sold by Hemmersley and Eli Parker; thence with said lot and the lines of the tract called Crow Hill, now said to belong to William Anderson, S. 84½° W. 11.75 chains to "C," a large white oak; thence S. 60° 52' W. with an old ditch 22.40 chains to "D," nearly between a cedar stump and a bunch of dogwood, corner to Crow Hill; thence leaving Crow Hill and running with Dunn's line N. 89° 33' W. 10 68 chains to "K," the intersection of two fences in said line, corner to Vinegar Hill and Hammersley's land; thence leaving the line between Vinegar Hill and Hammersley's land N. 29° 4' E. 32.70 chains to "L," in the northwestern edge of the North Fork of Little Hunting Creek, 11 links above a small black gum and 14 links above a large black gum tree, corner to Vinegar Hill; thence down said North Fork and binding with the meanders thereof and the land formerly owned by George Mason, deceased, S. 7½° E. 3.50 chains S. 7½° 10' E. 2 05 chains to "E," a cedar on the southwestern bank of said North Fork; thence still down North Fork S. 56½° E. 1.42 chains, S. 82½° E. 2 chains, N. 75° E. 2.30 chains to "F," the stump of a small sass fras, corner to said Mason's line and the 12-acre lot sold by Hammersley to Thornton—the said stump is on the southern side of said North Fork and about 10 feet from it; thence with the line of said lot S. 51½° W. 71.10 chains to "G," a stone, S. 53½° E. 7.10 chains to "H," a stone pile, N. 48½° E. 7.37½ chaid to "I," a locust stump on the west side of the said North Fork, S. 50½° E. 2 chains to "J," a stone or fence post on the eastern side of said North Fork and up the side of an outlet road, and thence with the northwestern side of said road N. 35½° E. 5.67 chains to the beginning, containing 56 acres, 3 roods and 4 poles of land, excepting, however, from the land above described a strip of land 16 feet wide, located at a point upon said land where the road is situated and now used by Hammersley as an outlet road from his lands to the Accotink Turnpike which is expressly reserved.

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LEAVE WASHINGTON, D. C.—6:30, 7:30, 8:30, 9:30: 10:30, 11:30 a. m., 12:30, 1:30, 2:30, 3:30, 4:30, 5:30, 6:30 p. m.

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11:08 A. M.—Washington and Florida limited. Sleeping cars between New York and Jacksonville. Through first-class coaches between Washington and Jacksonville. Parlor cars week days Washington to Pinehurst. Dining car service between Washington and Columbia.

11.32 A. M.—Daily—U. S. Fast Mail. First class coaches and drawing-room sleeper to New Orleans. Dining car service.

4:18 P. M.—Week Days—Local for Harrisonburg and way stations on Manassas branch

5:12 P. M.—Daily—Local for Warrenton and Charlottesville.

7:11 P. M.—Week Days—Southern's Palm Limited. Solid Pullman train, electric lighted. Through sleepers to Aiken, Augusta, Savannah, Jacksonville and St. Augustine. Club and observation cars. Southern Railway dining car service.

7:47 P. M.—Daily—New York and Atlanta Express—First class coach to Atlanta; sleeper to Columbus, Ga. Mondays, Wednesdays and Fridays Sunset Route Tourist sleeper Washington to San Francisco.

10:07 P. M., No. 33—Daily—New York and Florida Express. Through coaches and sleepers to Columbia, Savannah and Jacksonville. Sleepers to Augusta and Port Tampa. Dining car service a la carte.

10:17 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Chattanooga Limited (via Lynchburg). First class coach and sleeping car to Roanoke, Knoxville, Chattanooga and Memphis. Sleeper to Birmingham and New Orleans, Washington to Roanoke. Dining car service.

11:02 P. M.—Daily—Washington and Southwestern Limited. All Pullman train, club car to Atlanta, observation cars to Atlanta, Macon Sleepers to Nashville, Atlanta, Macon, Birmingham and New Orleans. Dining car service

Through trains from the South arrive at Alexandria 6:19, 9:35, 9 33, 9:57 (except Mondays) and 11.48 A. M. and 2:43, 9:13 and 9:33 P. M. daily. From Harrisonburg 11:38 A. M. week days and 9:03 P. M. daily. From Charlottesville 7:53 A. M. and from Lynchburg 9:03 P. M. daily.

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For Fredericksburg, Richmond and points south at 4 48, 7 57 (local), and 11 05 a. m 4:00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m., week days. Sundays—4 48 and 11 05 a. m., 4 00, 5 07 (local), and 7 41 p. m.

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Washington, Alexandria & Mt. Vernon Railway.

In effect November 1, 1905

LEAVE ALEXANDRIA.

For Washington, from corner Prince and Royal streets, week days, at 5 45, 6 10x, 6 20, 6 35x, 6 45, 7 00x, 7 10, 7 20x, 7 35, 7 50x, 8 00, 8 15x, 8 20, 8 30, 9 00, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 00, 11 15 and 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 12 45, 1 00, 1 20, 1 45, 2 10, 2 45, 3 00, 3 30, 3 45, 4 10, 4 35, 4 50x 5 10, 5 20, 5 35, 5 45, 6 00, 6 10, 6 30, 6 55, 7 15, 7 50, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

Saturdays only, 6 45x, 8 15x and 10 10x p. m

Sundays—7 00, 8 10, 8 15, 9 00, 9 30, 10 10 10 45, 11 15 and 11 45 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 20, 8 40, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30 and 11 10 p. m.

LEAVE WASHINGTON.

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Saturdays only, 7 30x, 9 00x and 11 00x p. m

Sundays—7 35, 8 45, 9 00, 9 35, 10 10, 10 40 11 00, 11 30 a. m., 12 00 noon, 12 30, 1 00, 1 20, 1 40, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 4 40, 5 00, 5 20, 5 40, 6 00, 6 20, 6 40, 7 00, 7 20, 7 40, 8 00, 8 30, 9 10, 9 50, 10 30, 11 10 and 11 50 p. m.

FOR MOUNT VERNON.

Leave Alexandria for Mount Vernon, week days, 5 45, 8 52, 8 32, 10 32, 11 33 a. m., 12 32, 1 32, 2 32, 3 32, 4 47, 5 40, 7 05 and 9 05 p. m

Sundays—7 00, 9 32, 10 41, 11 40 a. m., 12 40, 1 40, 2 40 3 40, 4 47, 7 05, 9 05 and 10 25 p. m.

FOR ARLINGTON.

Leave Alexandria 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 30, 10 00, 10 25, 11 15, 11 40 a. m., 12 20, 1 1 45, 2 10, 2 40, 3 00, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 6 30, 6 55, 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 11 a. m., 12 15, 12 40, 1 05, 1 20, 2 00, 2 20, 2 40, 3 00, 3 20, 3 40, 4 00, 4 20, 5 00, 5 40, 6 20, 7 00 and 7 40 p m.

FOR ROSSLYN

Leave Alexandria for Rosslyn, week days 7 10, 7 35, 8 20, 9 00, 10 00, 10 25, 11 40 a. m., 1 00, 2 45, 3 45, 4 35, 5 10, 5 45, 6 30, 6 55 and 7 50 p. m.

Sundays—8 10, 9 30, 10 10, 10 45, 11 15, 12 15, 1 20, 2 20, 3 20, 4 20, 5 40, 7 00 and 7 40 p. m.

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